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THE CROSSING OF THE BAR SUNSET, AND EVENING STAR AND ONE CLEAR CALL.

May There be no Moaning at the
Bar When Life Goes Out
to Sea.

"OLD" JOE DERMODY is dead at the great age of 94 years. He passed out at the County home on last Thursday, but he was not as old as his body, crippled with rheumatism would indicate, for until the last he had the young merry Irish heart. He was born in the Emerald Isle and came to this country when about twenty years of age and though he spent over seventy years in this country, he never lost that beautiful Irish brogue which sounded as fresh and green as when he left his native isle. He rolled his r's and gave those merry twists to his language that only a born Irishman owns. Old Joe may have seemed rough on the outside but he had a heart as big as his body. He lived with the late John Rupp, and later with Wm. H. Rupp, of this place, working in their tanneries for over thirty-five years. He first worked for the late John Gilbert at his tannery. Old Joe could tell to the year the ages of the Rupp boys for, as he would say, he helped to raise them on his knees, to them about and tucked them away in their trundle bed. The recollection of the boys is that he was as good as a good Irishman could be and that's mighty good. Old Joe was a friend of every boy who played around the tannery where he worked. On the walls of his room of the County home he had two portraits, one of John Rupp and the other of Hart Gilbert and there was always a touching feeling of affection as he spoke of them as two of the best friends he ever had.

Old Joe was a character in his way, and the things he could say were always good for a laugh. He was living with John Rupp at the time of the battle. The day the rebels arrived Mr. Rupp went to him and told him the rebels had come for sure and he should get to a place of safety. Joe started in a straight line out of the tannery, across the street, through the Welty alley gate leaving it open and when Solomon Welty cried to him to shut the gate Joe replied, "I haven't got time, the Rebs are coming." He made a straight streak across fields, over the creek eastward. He met a farmer who offered him a horse. Joe accepted and mounted but he hadn't gone far, as he always told, until "I got off the horse could not go fast enough, so I took to me heels." Joe had the peculiar trait for years that no matter how much he enjoyed an occasional nip he would never spend his own money for it. It was the other fellow who set them up. Old Joe lost his good wife, "Maria" nearly twenty years ago and with no one to take care of him at his home at Square Corners he came to the County Home. The funeral was held on Monday at Boneauville.

HARRY CHRONISTER of East Berlin, died on last Saturday night from the kick of a horse. He is the hostler at the Shaffer House, East Berlin, and went out to the barn at 11 o'clock to hitch up a two horse team for the Ramer boys. Shortly after another young man wanted to leave and asked the landlord, Mr. Brown, where the hostler was and was told at the barn. They called but received no answer. Mr. Brown lit a lantern and went to the barn with the young man. They found Mr. Chronister lying behind the horses unconscious. There were three horses near where he was lying. He was kicked by one of the horses back of the neck and collar bone was broken. He had a lantern in his hand. The lantern was about 8 feet away from him broken to pieces, the oil had run out on the straw but fortunately the flame had gone out and there was no fire. They carried him to the hotel and sent for a physician but he was dead before the doctor arrived. He was aged 41 years, months and 11 days. The funeral was held on Monday morning, services being conducted by Dr. W. A. Korn and interment in East Berlin cemetery. A. B. Triimmer, funeral director. He leaves a wife, Mrs. Lilly Chronister, nee Eisenhart and four daughters, Mrs. Lottie Himes, of East Berlin, Esther, Georgia and Bertha at home. One brother and two sisters survive. Calvin Chronister of Reading township, Mrs. Gilbert Havenbeck, of East Berlin and Mrs. Henry George, of York. His mother also survives, Mrs. Caroline Chronister, past 80 years of age. He was a son of the late Geo. Chronister, of Reading township.

MRS. CORNELIUS BROWN died suddenly at her home at Brownsville, Md., from heart disease on Monday night of last week. She had been ill several weeks. She leaves four sons and five daughters, among the latter being Mrs. Clyde B. Stover of this place.

JOHN SEABRIGHT, at one time a resident of this county, living near

Burgess and Town Council at Odds.

The December meeting of the Town Council was held Tuesday evening of last week. All of the members were present except Mr. Foutz. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Councilman Tanney of the Highway Committee brought up matter of ditch on South Washington street at the property of Wm. H. Evans which he said had not been properly closed. The manner in which the digging permits should be regarded was then discussed. It was reported that the Burgess had erroneously informed Mr. Evans as to the manner in which the ditch should be filled.

Councilman Butt presented the following motion which was adopted: Whereas it appears that the Burgess in issuing permits for digging up the streets has been volunteering information to the applicants as to the manner of filling up the trenches or ditches which is not in accordance with the plain intent of the ordinance; therefore be it resolved that if the Burgess chooses to volunteer information, that he inform himself fully as to the purposes and intents of the ordinance and properly inform the applicants as to the necessity of putting them in the same condition in which they were before opening.

J. Frank Hartman appeared protesting against the paving of the gutter on Baltimore street at the entrance to the alley between the Gettysburg Department Store and the Hotel Wabash. Councilman Butt moved that crossing in question be repaired satisfactorily and that crossing plates be placed over the gutter for the convenience of those using the alley. The motion was carried.

Other highway matters were discussed, among them the pavements at the Brinkerhoff and George Weaver properties on Baltimore street.

The Ordinance Committee presented an ordinance providing for the opening and opening of an alley in the rear of the properties on the south side of the far end of East Middle street. The ordinance was ordered advertised and provides for the alley in question to East Confederate avenue.

The matter of the expiration of the light contract was discussed but action deferred until a subsequent meeting.

Councilman Kitzmiller brought up the matter of profanity and loafing on the streets of town at night. The "small boy" nuisance on Baltimore street was also discussed. The actions of young people on the streets at night were reported as very objectionable. The congregating on the corners in the evenings, especially Sunday, came in for much condemnation. The promiscuous use of rifles by small boys was also discussed by Council.

The Borough Treasurer reported \$377.33 on hand in the general fund and \$120.64 in the special fund.

Burgess Slaybaugh reported collections as follows: building permits, \$4.00; digging permits, \$2.00; sewer permits, \$1.50; general license, \$2.00.

Councilman Butt moved that Finance Committee have borough bonds printed.

Donald P. McPherson, Esq., attorney for the Gettysburg and Petersburg Turnpike Company reported that he was authorized to make the following proposition to the Town Council in regard to strips of land of the turnpike company desired by the borough for pavement purposes: "Turnpike company agrees to give borough a release of strips of land on each side of turnpike, said strips to be six feet in width in consideration of the borough giving the pike company an indemnifying bond to protect them from any damage arising from the transfer of and use by the borough of said strips and further consideration that the annual charge for maintenance of pike in borough under agreement be reduced to \$15.00." The proposition with exception of reduction in annual charge was satisfactory to the Council.

RATIONAL CURE FOR ECZEMA.

No More Dosing the Stomach—Cure the Skin Through the Skin.

When you have a scratch on your hand you wash it out and cleanse it and then the skin cures itself. You do not take blood medicine to cure a festered wound.

The best skin specialists today are agreed that the only way to cure the skin is through the skin.

The fact that eczema is a skin disease and not a blood disease is evident from statistics which show nearly all eczema sufferers are perfectly healthy in all other ways except as to their skin. If the eczema patients were really suffering from an inward malady, the entire body and not only the skin would be diseased.

You can prove immediately the relief of a true skin cure by using oil of wintergreen as compounded by D. D. D. Prescription. This liquid attacks the disease germs, numbing them while building up the healthy tissue of the skin. We have now handled this meritorious and thoroughly scientific remedy for so long and have seen its reliable results so many times that we freely express our confidence. For sale at People's Drug Store.

ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICE

PUBLIC LODGE OF SORROW IN
COURT HOUSE SUNDAY EVEN'G

Addresses Were Made by James G. Glessner, Esq., of York and Wm. McSherry, Esq., of this place.

The Gettysburg Lodge Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks No. 1045 on Sunday evening, Dec. 6th held a public Lodge of Sorrow in the Court House with a beautiful order of exercises. The date was the one fixed by the Order upon which all Lodges throughout the land held a Lodge of Sorrow. The Court House was packed. The members occupying space within the hall and there was not a vacant seat in the room and a number stood.

The exercises were in charge of Exalted Ruler W. S. Schroeder and were opened by request that the Secretary J. Donald Swope, should call the roll of the honored dead. They were:

Harry Melville Sheely, died November 26, 1907.

Merville E. Zinn, died January 17, 1908.

After the opening exercises by the Lodge Miss Susanna B. Richards of Pottsville sang beautifully the solo "Save Me, Oh God," which was followed by the Gettysburg and visiting Elks singing the opening Ode. Rev. Hooper made the invocation and Miss Richards sang the solo "Lullaby" from Jocelyn with violin obligato by Victor Hausknecht.

James G. Glessner of the York Lodge made the Memorial address, and referred to the history of the order, being founded 41 years ago by a number of theatrical folks in New York City and first called "The Order of Good Fellows," that a year later or 40 years ago it was given the name of the "Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks" and in 1894 the name was added to "in the United States of America." That the order was distinctively an American one and that there were few cities in this country without a lodge. He referred to the principles of the order as being those that inculcated "How to Live," rather than "How to Die." That the cardinal virtue was charity, charity in thought toward others and charity in deed.

That it was sought to have every Elk be honest, upright and true to himself, honest, upright and true to his home, honest, upright and true to his neighbor and the world. In conclusion the speaker referred to how the message had been carried to Garcia. How it had been given with the only order to deliver it to Garcia and that it had been carried to him without the asking of needless questions or any evasion and that it was the work of every Elk to carry to the world a message of love, not to evade and ask why another could not do the carrying, or why it could not be done some other time, but to carry that message himself in his daily life.

Victor Hausknecht then gave a violin solo, a charming musical interpretation at which he is a master.

Wm. McSherry, Esq., made the address in Memorial, taking as his subject "The Lights and Shadows of Life" and in beautiful language led from the charms of nature to the most beautiful spot on earth the home and in forceful terms drove home the truth that sorrow, poverty, sickness and death are often blessings that make better men and women and in conclusion spoke of the virtues of the departed members, Harry Melville Sheely and Merville E. Zinn. "The faults of our brothers we write upon the sands, their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory."

The duet, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" was sung by Miss Richards and Chas. Stock. The singing throughout exercises was exceptionally fine and was thoroughly appreciated by the audience.

After closing exercises of the lodge, members and audience sang Auld Lang Syne and the benediction was pronounced. The memorial committee having in charge the beautiful memorial services this year were J. Lawrence Williams, H. Milton Roth and David J. Forney.

Short Argument Court.

Regular Argument Court opened on Monday of last week with President Judge Swope and Associate Judge Smith on the Bench.

All the Register's accounts as advertised were confirmed.

J. D. Keith, Esq., was appointed auditor to distribute the balance in the hands of Charles M. Wolff, Esq., administrator of the estate of Isabella Carl, deceased.

The exemption list of Amanda Wolf, widow of Cornelius Wolf, deceased, of Germany township, including real estate and personal property was approved nisi.

An order of private sale of the interest of the minor children of Christian Mertz, deceased, in the real estate, corner of Chambersburg street and Springs avenue, Gettysburg, being a one-twelfth interest, was made.

The recognition and bond of Elias

Fisler, Sheriff-elect, were filed and approved.

On petition of J. L. Williams, Esq., guardian of estate of Harriet M. Biecker, a rule was awarded on William Biecker for payment.

The account of J. W. O. Miller, guardian of Maggie E. Harbold, a minor, was confirmed and guardian discharged.

Judge McClean was appointed auditor to report distribution of the balance in the hands of Cora E. Slothour, trustee for sale in partition of real estate of Henry Hoover, deceased.

Exceptions were filed to the widow's list in estate of John Hollinger, deceased.

A rule on John W. Coulson, executor of the will of Elizabeth Harget, deceased, for payment of the legacies to Mary Batterman after argument was made absolute.

Motion for new trial in case of Com. vs. Frank Hartlaub, convicted of assault and battery, was argued and overruled.

Order of sale of real estate of Geo. W. Keefer, deceased, consisting of 25 acres in Huntingdon and Latimore township was awarded.

A certiorari case of John Miller, Ernest Miller vs. Ann Thoman from docket of Squire N. L. Minter of Arendtsville was argued and reversed for illegal summons and service.

In the divorce case of Elmer E. Jacobs vs. Ollie Jacobs, a counsel fee of \$50, was ordered to be paid by husband to wife.

Return of sale of real estate of Jas. R. Felix, deceased, in Franklin township to Harry J. Felix for \$685 was confirmed.

Proceedings for divorce was started by Edna R. Grove vs. Truman C. Grove, Jr., with a subpoena.

The share of Lewis Batterman, in estate of Lewis Batterman, a deceased uncle ordered to be paid out of court, the nephew presumed to be dead, not being heard of for more than seven years, parties entitled to same to give refunding bonds.

In the case of South Mountain Oil and Developing Co. vs. G. C. Oviatt, a rule was issued on petition of defendant to show cause why plaintiff should not give bail for costs as a nonresident.

The cases of Borough of Gettysburg vs. Gettysburg Transit Company were continued to January 4th.

MARRIAGES.

SNYDER-MARING—The home of Mr. and Mrs. David Maring of Cumberland township, Adams Co. Pa. was the scene of a very pretty wedding Tuesday, Dec. 1, at 11 a. m. when their daughter Lottie Belle and Clarence Irvin Snyder son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Snyder were united in marriage by Rev. Stockslager of Mt. Joy Lutheran church. The bride was attended by Miss Charlotte E. Mehring of Littlestown and the groom by Howard T. Maring brother of the bride.

The bride was attired in a becoming costume of taupe gray herriehone panama and wore a wreath of carnations. The maid of honor wore a darker shade of taupe gray crepe. The groom and best man wore the conventional black.

Before the party entered the parlor, which was filled with waiting guests, Miss Ethel R. Wolfert of Gettysburg sang, "Are You Sincere" after which the party entered, while the organ pealed "Lohengrin's Bridal Chorus."

After the ceremony the wedding party and many friends partook of a bountiful repast. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder were the recipients of many handsome and useful presents, besides an abundance of hearty good wishes. Miss Edith Mickle of Cashtown received the guests as they arrived.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder will be on their honeymoon for several weeks with relatives and friends at Melrose, Manchester, Lincolnton, Baltimore and Washington, D. C. They will return to Mrs. Snyder's home about Christmas.

The evening following the wedding the calathumpian band honored the bride and groom with a jolly serenade which they appreciated. The calathumpian's conduct was worthy of praise.

Struck by Cars on W. M. Tracks.

Frank Schriver of Straban township on last Saturday night started for his home, going out Carlisle street. Cars were being shifted on the Western Maryland tracks. A flagman signaled him to stop but he came on and went on the tracks. The cars struck his buggy and Mr. Schriver was thrown to the ground. The vehicle was torn from the horse and horse escaped unharmed. The buggy was carried down the track by the car and completely wrecked. Mr. Schriver received an ugly gash across his forehead, but his injury was not serious.

Capt. James T. Long has returned from Harrisburg Hospital, where he underwent an operation and is rapidly recovering. We hope the Capt. will soon be enjoying the best of health.

Dr. Alexander Hay O'Neal has been engaged as physician and surgeon to accompany Mr. and Mrs. George W. Childs Drexel of Philadelphia on a cruise around South America. The party will leave Philadelphia Jan. 31 and trip will last several months.

LINCOLN ROADWAY BILL

INTRODUCED IN CONGRESS BY
HON. D. F. LAFEAN.

Also Bill for Public Building in
Gettysburg to Cost
\$150,000.

The following is the text of the Lincoln Roadway Bill and Gettysburg public building bill introduced in Congress on Monday by Congressman D. F. Lafean.

A bill to construct a Lincoln Memorial Highway from the White House, Washington, District of Columbia to the Battlefield of Gettysburg, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled:

Section 1. That as a national tribute of affection toward Abraham Lincoln, late President of the United States, a great memorial highway, not less than one hundred and fifty feet wide, be constructed from the neighborhood of the White House in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, to the battlefield of Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania.

Section 2. That for the construction of the said memorial highway the sum of three million dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Section 3.—That the said memorial highway be constructed under the direction of a Commission composed of the chairman and the ranking democratic member of the Committee on the Library of the Senate of the Sixtieth Congress, the chairman and the ranking democratic member of the Committee on the Library of the House of Representatives of the Sixtieth Congress, the chairman of the Committee on the Library of the House of Representatives of the Fifty-ninth Congress, the Secretary of State and the Secretary of War.

A bill to provide for the erection of a public building at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America assembled:

Section 1. That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be erected upon the ground now owned or hereafter to be acquired by the United States a suitable building including fire proof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, and approaches, for the use and accommodation of the United States post-office, offices for the Gettysburg National Military Park Commission, United States internal revenue office, rooms for Gettysburg Battlefield Historical Society and Museum, and other Government offices in the borough of Gettysburg and State of Pennsylvania. The cost of the site and building, including said vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus and approaches, complete, not to exceed the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Congress and the Lincoln Roadway.

The short session of the Sixtieth Congress began on Monday, Dec. 7. Gettysburg has four devoted friends in the body. Congressman Lafean representing the district and three of her sons, in Congressman Tanney, head of the Ways and Means Committee. Congressman McCreary and Congressman Goulden. There will be many who will lend their influence to put through the Lincoln Roadway project. The Compiler may be over sanguine but we look forward to the roadway with great assurance. Congress is responsible for the idea to a certain extent. An appropriation was made and Mr. McGieary was sent to Europe to study what would make the most appropriate memorial by the nation on the one hundredth birthday of Abraham Lincoln, Feb. 12, 1909. He also went as the representative of the Lincoln Association. He returns with the Lincoln Roadway idea, which is endorsed by the association, so that when the bill of Lafean is presented for the road, it is simply asking Congress to adopt the idea that Congress has paid for. A Washington correspondent speaking of the situation last week says: Representative D. F. Lafean of York has a project that he proposes to push in the next Congress. It is a plan to build a national road from

Washington to the battlefield of Gettysburg. Mr. Lafean's idea is to make a boulevard that will stand as a national monument, probably known as the Lincoln Boulevard in honor of Lincoln's address delivered on that historic battlefield.

The project would involve an expenditure of about \$7,000,000 but it is argued that it would not only have a sentimental value in showing a patriotic appreciation of the events that took place at Gettysburg, but it would be of great special benefit as well. The road would pass through a rich agricultural district of Maryland and Pennsylvania and the farmers would have the benefit of it in getting their produce to market. Automobile support, for with this boulevard completed the run from Washington to Gettysburg would be one of the most delightful in the country.

In Congress Mr. Lafean will find a element that will stand to a man with him on the proposition. This element is composed of the members who have been fighting for years for a national good roads movement. Their plan was to have the Federal Government co-operate with the States in building roads in all parts of the country, but up to this time they have met with but little success. If the government should build this boulevard to Gettysburg it would furnish an example of the benefits that could be conferred along this line, and the good roads element would view the matter from a utilitarian as much as from a sentimental standpoint. At any rate Mr. Lafean is deeply in earnest and proposes to do what he can to secure Congressional enactment authorizing this road. He has assurances of support that warrant him in pushing it to the front.

Fell in Kettle of Scalding Lard

Richard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keiser, residing on the old Levi Lawrence property, about one mile West of Mt. Rock, Mountpleasant township, met with a terrible burning accident on Monday of last week. The family were butchering and while rendering the lard the child, aged between 5 and 6 years, wandered around and in some manner lost his balance and fell, his out stretched arms sinking into a kettle of boiling lard just removed from the fire to be rendered. The arms, hands and shoulders are burned or scalded in a terrible manner, to such an extent in fact, that Dr. Rice, the attending physician, though he has some hopes of saving the child's life, fears that the flesh has been burned entirely dead, and it will be the next thing to impossible to save the limbs. The child's sufferings are most excruciating. He also received severe burns from the hot fluid in his face and on other parts of the body. The same child when about 2 years of age, met with an accident by running an iron poker into his mouth, whereby he was horribly wounded, and up to this time is scarcely able to articulate, on account of the injuries received at that time.

When Rubbers Become Necessary.

And your shoes pinch. Allen's Foot-Paste, a powder to be shaken into the shoes, is just the thing to use. Try it for breaking in New Shoes. Sold Everywhere, 25c. Sample FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y. Don't accept any substitute.

Fruit Growers Meeting.

The 58th regular meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association of Adams county will be held in Fruit Growers' Hall, Bendersville, next Saturday afternoon, Dec. 12th, at 1:30 o'clock.

This is the meeting at which the constitution requires the election of a President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer and three members to serve on the Executive Committee for the ensuing year. A full attendance is desired.

The following program has been arranged for the meeting: Cultivation and care of small fruit. Frank Garrettson; What varieties of pears have you found to be profitable, J. W. Prickett; Current Topics by F. B. Fiddler, C. L. Osborne, J. H. Peters and Samuel Bream.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Weaver yesterday Tuesday enjoyed the rare and happy event of the celebration of the fifty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. May they enjoy many more happy years of wedded life is wish of the Community and the host of their friends.

For Coughs—Take This

Do you know a remedy for coughs and colds nearly seventy years old? There is one—Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Once in the family, it stays. It is not a doctor, does not take the place of a doctor. It is a doctor's aid. Made for the treatment of all throat and lung troubles. Ask your own doctor his opinion of it. Follow his advice. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J.C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

You cannot recover promptly if your bowels are constipated. Ayer's Pills are gently laxative; act directly on the liver. Sold for nearly sixty years. Ask your doctor about all the ailments.

Silk Hosiery

A luxury of dress few women think they can afford, and yet enjoy with pride if received as a Christmas gift.

BLACK & COLORED SILK Thread Hose here, in Christmas boxes. \$1.00 and \$1.50
REAL LISLE HOSE. Gauze and Lace, black, tan and colors, boxed. 25 and 50 cts. a pair.

Children's Hose

In the usual great variety of our stock for every sized foot, 10c. up.

Neck Wear

Dress accessories that give pleasure in possession. The smartest kinds of Neck Wear, of such an inconceivable variety that it is impossible to give any kind of description here, from the 5c. collar up to \$1. Nearly all boxed for Christmas giving.

Auto Neck Scarfs

AUTO NECK SCARFS. A very popular and useful Scarf, beautiful colorings and patterns, especially for use in evening wear to keep the collar in shape in going to the evening party or entertainment. 50c., \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.00.
Wool Knit Head Wraps and Shawl Scarfs, the newest style, hand knit rightly priced, 25c., 50c., 75c., \$1.00 up.

For Children

Golf Caps, Tam O'Shanter, Leggings, knit and cloth, knit Sacques, Booties, and many other things of this character.
Leather Goods, specially bought for gift giving.
Burnished Leather Music Rolls \$2. Silk lined.
Burnished Leather Magazine Holders with paper cutter, \$1.15.
Burnished Leather Writing Tablets, small enough for the suit case or bag, \$2.00.
Post Card Holders, 25c., 50c., to \$1.
Hiawatha Poems, bound in Burnished Leather with Indian Head, \$1.
Kodak Picture Holders, 25c., 50c., 75c.
Squaw Bags in leather, 25c., 50c., \$1.
Newest shapes in Ladies' Hand and Waist Bags in leather, 25c., 50c., \$1.00 up to \$5.00.
Purses and Card Cases, greatest variety of styles and prices.
Children's Purses and Bags.
Ladies' Brooches, fancy boxed, 25c. and 50c.
Hat Pins, fancy boxes, 25c.
Hair Ornaments, a necessary article in this day of elaborate hair dressing, special preparation for gift giving.
Barettes in Horn, Amber and Grey, 10c. up.
Combs, side and back to match, 10c. to \$2.50.

Belts and Belting

Belt Buckles and Belt Pins, a great variety to choose from, boxed in Christmas boxes. Blastic, Silk, Leather and Fancy Ribbon Belts and Belting, Girdles, &c. If you write, let us know how much you want to pay and we will send you the right thing.
NET VEIL boxed, 35 to 50c.

Waist Fronts

Embroidered Waist Fronts, boxed for gift giving, a very acceptable gift, as every lady will fully admire an Embroidered Waist Front 50c., 75c., \$1.00.

Wool Blankets

Could you give the housekeeper anything that she would take greater pride in than a handsome pair of Blankets. We are showing a beautiful line at prices considerably less than last year.

Comforts

Eider Down or Fleece Comforts. Silkline or Cotton covered. Our Eider Down is made from thoroughly cured down. Fleece Comforts are made into sheets of one piece, the size of the comforts, can't get lumpy. Prices are less than you could make them out of the same materials yourself.

Gettysburg, Pa.

G. W. WEAVER & SON,

THE LEADERS

A Christmas Gift Store

IF you are going to "Let Kindness Wait on Wisdom's Counselor" come to see us in your Christmas gift choosing. The whole store might justly be called a Gift Store—if Sensible Gifts are your counsel by Wisdom; There are some things essentially right as a gift, even though they can neither be worn or eaten, it all depends on the temperament of the persons to receive.

We are prepared, for a great holiday business, with the goods usually called **SENSIBLE and USEABLE.** We are prepared also to give the best kind of service by Mail, if you find it impracticable to come to see us.

We aim to make this advertisement a catalogue of helpful suggestions, but we have a great many articles that we cannot name in a single advertisement, so if you know of anything not named the chances are that in this \$60,000.00 stock of merchandise, we have it, and have it at the right price too, possibly even less than others.

We advise early shopping---Look at your calendar and see how very few days are left for you to do it in.

Christmas Furs

Always happy, the woman or child who receives a piece or set of Furs. Our assortment is so great that no matter how much, or how little you want to pay for the gift, we have it.

NECK PIECES in all the new shapes, 90c. for a good Coney Scarf—to \$40.00 for a Kolinski Martin Piece—every between price.

Muffs

To match every kind of Neck Piece in stock, or the Neck Piece she already owns—Pillow, Bag and other shapes.

Note

TO THE WISE.—Our contracts were made in June—several very popular Furs have been advanced from 33 1-3 to 50 per cent. on the earlier prices.

Ladies' Gloves

It is said that the French women are never dowdy, but always thoroughly "chic," not because of the costliness of her gown so much as because she pays attention to detail, foremost of which is her gloved hand.

For gift giving there are few things so thoroughly appreciative by "Milady" as a pair or more of good Kid gloves. We are prepared to care for special demands as follows:

One Clasp Cape in Grey, Prix seam, a thoroughly good glove for walking and driving, 1.50
One clasp Cape Glove, Black, Brown, Tan, \$1.00
Tan Gauntlets, large stiff gauntlet, French Cape, \$2.00.
Two Clasp Kid Gloves at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$1.35, all colors, each pair boxed.

12 and 16 Button Glace Mousquetaire gloves all colors, \$2.50 to \$3.50, 12 and 16 Button Fabric Gloves Blacks and Whites, 50c. to \$2.00, Wool Gloves, Knit and Dog Skin fabric 25c. and 50c.

Mittens, for all sizes of people from the baby up, 10c. to 50c.

Handkerchiefs.

There are hundreds of people who, at the last minute, fall back on Handkerchiefs for gift giving. If you do, come to a store where Linen is marked Linen with a trade mark. We sell loads of Cotton Handkerchiefs, fine Embroidered ones too, but we do not let you fool yourself into thinking you are buying Linen. All our Hemstitched goods are bought on Import order, a saving which you get.

We have a better Handkerchief, at any given price, than can be bought where they cannot use so many. Handkerchiefs of every character, from 3 cts. to \$2.50 per piece.

If you order by mail, name your price, and whether Embroidered or Plain.

Silk Handkerchiefs

Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs in natural finish. Hem-stitched. Plain or Embroidered Initial—Handkerchiefs that wash like linen—White and Fancy colored. 25c., 50c., 75c., \$1.00.

WOOL DRESS GOODS

Every pattern bought for a gift put into a handsome Xmas box. We are in a position to give extraordinary values at this time, with greater choosing than can be found elsewhere. Newest colors for waists and dresses.

SILKS

For waists and dresses. Our yard wide Taffeta in the different grades cannot be excelled in quality anywhere. Full assortment of colors as well as blacks.

Satin Faced Silks in Duchesse, Poie de Soie, Messalines, and faencs in full assortment of colors. Every waist or dress pattern boxed. If you order by mail, name your price, we will give you full value.

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A reasonable gift—that extra skirt—a choosing from over two hundred dress skirts, probably 50 styles. May not find your size in just the style you choose first, but sure to find it in something, with the price on many a fourth or more off the usual. Why?—broken lots too many lots.

Panamas, Serges, Voiles, Silks, at almost any price you wish to expend for this gift.

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Give her a surprise of a nice coat or an Evening Cape. You can guess at the size nearer a fit than in a coat suit perhaps. The mild weather, in all of the November season, has given the maker a great surplus stock, because there was disappointment in the re-orders expected; and so down goes the price, in many instances a fourth less than early—ours to save his to lose—on the very newest shapes.

Don't wait until the last moment before making your selection, there is nothing to gain in price, and possibly much to lose in the smaller selection you'll have.

WOMEN'S TAILORED SUITS

A mark down on the balance of stock, still good choosing, a clear saving of from \$3 to \$6 on a suit.

Every New Suit is New, Smart and Fully Tailored. You may have some trouble to find your size, but there is the saving in price. Suits for the Miss of 13 to 17 too.

Suits that were \$12 now \$9.00
Suits that were \$15 now \$11.50
Suits that were \$18 now \$14.00
Suits that were \$25 now \$19.00

WHITE WAIST PATTERNS BOXED

By arrangement with a New York Importer we have secured in advance, our Spring line of White Waistings, which we have boxed for gift giving in proper lengths for waists. A great choice of patterns and prices, 50c. up to \$2.00 a pattern.

WAISTS

If you come soon, if you have decided on a waist, we can give you a good choosing at a saving of a fourth on the usual.
Net over Silk, white, Fern and colored, \$2.19, \$3.90 to 4.90
Satin or Taffeta Silks, \$2.45, \$2.95 to \$4.90.
Lingerie or Tailored, 50c., 75c. \$1.00.

Have you read our advertisement of a week ago on Waists, it gives a reason why. They are as cheap as the cost of the material.

APRONS

Ready to wear Aprons, a useful gift, and our stock will let you make it as dainty as you wish. A great variety to choose from for any use you wish the recipient to make of it—any price too you wish (2nd floor.)

For Men

Gloves are a specially useful thing and an acceptable gift. We are particularly well fixed to take care of wants in this line.

Lined Dog Skin, Dent Thumb, a neat stylish glove with a close fitting wrist, prix seam, \$1.25.

Silk Lined Mocha, 1 clasp, Grey or Brown, a close fitting street glove, \$1.38.

Heavy Lined Mocha, a good warm driving glove, \$1.00.

Heavy Lined Cape Skin, 1 clasp prix sewed, \$1.00.

Unlined Cape, 1 clasp, Paris point, Dent Thumb, a good stylish street glove, \$1.38.

Unlined Cape, 1 clasp, 1 spear point, a nice fitting street or driving glove, \$1.00.

Wool Gloves, Working Gloves, of every variety of kinds, 25c., 50c. to \$1.00.

Suspenders

A man likes a pair of suspenders fastened to each pair of trousers. You cannot go wrong, as the old ones have possibly worn out and he has neglected getting a new pair. Fine suspenders, beautifully boxed, 25c. to 50c. With Anklelets and Hose Supporters all in same box to match, 75c. and \$1.00

Smoking Jackets

If it is to be a House Coat, see about it early to avoid a possible disappointment. Stocks get low early and, if his size has to be ordered, there will likely be trouble if postponed too long. Price, \$4, \$5, \$6, to \$7.50.

Bath Robes

A very useful article for man or a woman, not only for use in or going to the bath room, but for the convalescent or for lounging in. \$2, \$3, to \$5.

Umbrellas

This is an all the year round Umbrella store, with special selections for gift giving at this time. Just received 200 new style handled Umbrellas. Any price you wish to pay for a gift Umbrella, we have it, and a number to choose from too, from a maker who knows how to make a thoroughly good Umbrella. For men ladies or children, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Neck Ties and Collars

A beautiful line, specially brought and boxed for Christmas selling, no charge for box on the 50c. kind. Very newest shapes and colors, 15, 25 and 50 cents.

Shirts

Acorn Brand Shirts, New Fall styles in materials and coat and shirt shapes, all sizes, 50c., 75c., and \$1.00.

Hose

Men's Hose, Plain and Fancy in every grade, goods at 25c. per pair, and over, boxed in Christmas boxes, 10c. to 50c.

Knick Knacks for Men

Folding Hair Brush, with comb and pocket mirror, a useful article for pocket or suit case, \$1.50.

Bill Book, for inside coat pocket, 50c., 75c., \$1.00.

Pocket Books, new features for bill and coin combined, 25, 50 to \$1.50

Pocket Books with identification cards, in various leathers, 50, 75 and \$1.00.

Coin Purses, various kinds at 10c. up to 50c.

Silk Mufflers. A beautiful gift both in squares and full dress folded 50c., 75c., \$1.00 to \$2.50.

Ways Neck Mufflers 50c.

Phoenix Mufflers 50c.

Hose Supporters 10 and 25c.

Tobacco Pouches 25c.

Cigar Holders 25c.

Cigar Jars 50c.

Military Hair Brushes \$1 and \$1.50

Roberts Combs 10 and 15c.

Keep Clean and Wire Hair Brushes 50c., 75c., and \$1.00.

Cloth Brushes 25c., 50c., \$1.00.

Leather Balmers and Plagues for his 10c. to \$1.50.

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Wealth of American Farmers

Rev. Samuel Polk, pastor of Presby-
terian church near Clora, Md., enter-
tained and then addressed a farmers
club, with following picture of the
American farmers wealth.

"I have learned that if the Amer-
ican farmer went out of business this
year, he could clean up thirty thou-
sand million dollars.

"Talk of money-mad trusts! They might have reason to be mad if they owned the farms, in-
stead of their watered stock. When
we remember that the Amer-
ican farmer earns enough in seven-
teen days to buy out the Standard Oil
Company, enough in fifty days to
wipe Carnegie and his Steel Trust off
the industrial map, the story of the
trusts seems like the short and simple
annals of the poor."

"One American harvest would buy
the kingdom of Belgium, king and all;
two would buy Italy; three would
buy Austria-Hungary, and five, at a
spot cash price, would take Russia
from the czar.

"Talk of swollen fortunes! With
the setting of every sun, the money
box bulges with the weight of twenty-
four new millions. Place your finger
on the pulse of your wrist and count
your heart beats—one, two, three,
four—with every four of those quick
throbs, day and night, one thousand
dollars clatter into the golden of the
American farmers.

"How incomprehensible it would
seem to Pericles, who saw Greece in
her golden age, if he could know the
yearly revenue of his country, is now
no more than one day's pay for the
men who till the soil of this infant re-
public. Or how it would amaze a resur-
rected Christopher Columbus, if he
were told that the revenues of Spain
and Portugal, are not nearly so much
as the farmers' haul!"

"Merely crumbs that fall from the
farmers' table (otherwise known as
agricultural exports) have brought
him in enough of foreign money since
1892 to enable him, if he wished to
settle the railway problem once for
all, to buy every foot of railroad in
the United States.

"The farmer is a commercialist—a
man of the twentieth century. He
works as hard as the old farmer did,
but in a higher way. He uses the

four M's—mind, money, machinery
and muscle. His hermit days are
over—he is a man among men."

Surprise Party.

A very pleasant surprise party was
given Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deardorff
last Thursday evening, Nov. 26, the
evening being spent in singing and
playing games. At a late hour the
guests were invited to the dining room
where the table was laden with the
good things of the season, after which
all returned to their homes well pleas-
ed with the evening spent. Those pres-
ent were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deardorff,
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bushey, Mr. and
Mrs. John Bittinger, Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Shultz, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph
Thoman, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Deardorff,
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reinecker,
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Starnier, Mr. and
Mrs. John Kunkle, Mr. and Mrs. Her-
man Bream, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel
Deardorff, Mrs. James Ball, Mrs. Min-
nie Hartman, Mr. Charles Robert,
Misses Mary Monfort, Daisy Bittinger,
Mary Reinecker, Laura Raff, Julia
Slonaker, Blanche Thoman, May Stras-
baugh, Cora Trostle, Anna Deardorff,
Loily Allison, Eva Mickle, Elsie
Shultz, Fannie Mickle, Lora Deardorff,
Ruth Ball, Bessie Arnold, Grace
Minter, Mary Keller, Alice Minter,
Grace Reinecker, Nannie Keller, Phin-
amore Bittinger, Nora Deardorff, Alice
Robert, Estella Deardorff, Treva
Bream, Ruth Reinecker, Hilda Deardorff,
Viola Ball, Grace Hummer,
Katie and Bernadette Deardorff, Jen-
nie Bonsetter, Bernell Deardorff, Em-
ory Cleveland, Wm. Hankey, Ralph
Starnier, Conrad Reinecker, Harry
Kunkle, James Allison, Raymond Am-
merman, Lee Tipton, Clarence Arnold,
Dorsey Deardorff, Dorsey Shultz, Les-
lie Deardorff, Clarence Reinecker,
Lloyd Shultz, Maurice Trostle, Guy
Hartman, Paxton Reinecker, Ralph
Ball, Roy Dugans, Charles Reinecker,
Dennis Roth, Dent Miller, Clifford Ser-
le, Howard Deardorff, Clarence Rob-
ert, Isaac Rife, Luther Deardorff,
Ralph Robert, Clarence Bittinger, El-
mer Strasbaugh, Glen Bream, Samuel
Deardorff, Jr., Fred Mackley, Roy Tay-
lor, Wilmer Cullison, James Mackley,
Wm. Dicht, Clifford Deardorff, Roy
Linard, Clarence Shultz, Clare and
Miles Deardorff, John Shultz, Clarence
Keller, Roy Letherman.

A Guest.

Read the "Compiler."

The Winter Will be Mild

Declaring that the goose-bone prop-
hets were wrong, and that many of
the alleged weather signs were rub-
bish, John T. Roberts, of Darby, Pa.,
who says he has forecasted the weath-
er of winter for years by an infallible
sign, prophesies once more.

"I have been a close observer of the
weather for 40 years," said Mr. Roberts
"and in all that time I have never
been wrong in my forecasts. I take
my observation on the three days of
the fall equinox, September 20, 21 and
22, and base my calculations on the
direction of the wind for those three
days. The first day, September 20,
gives us the weather for the month of
December, the first month of winter;
the second day, the day of the equinox,
September 21, gives us the weather for
January, and the third day, Septem-
ber 22, gives us the conditions for
February.

"According to the observations of
this year, taken on these three days,
the winter will be somewhat severe in
the early part, with possibly heavy
snow-storms, but January will be
warm, with rains in the first half and
mild and clear weather the latter half.
February and March will be mild,
and the spring early.

"On September 20 the wind was
northeast, from which we get the
cold and bad weather, north being the
direction of the cold winds, while
from the east we get the storms. The
wind on September 21, which gives us
the indications for January, were in
the southeasterly quarter in the morn-
ing and from the south in the after-
noon, from which we learn that the
weather in the early part of the month
will be warm, with rains, the first half
of the month, and mild and clear the
last half. September 22 the wind was
southwest by west, giving us a mild
February, with generally clear weath-
er.

"I have made these observations
for years and have never known them
to fail. Another old-time resident of
Darby, has been making them also as
long as I have, and he will corroborate
what I say. I see by the newspapers
that some of the weather prophets of
Berks County declare that the coming
winter will be one of the most severe
in years, because the weeds have
grown to an unusual height, indicating
deep snow, since nature causes the
weeds to grow tall so that the birds
can feed on the seeds when the ground
is covered with snow. Another one
says it will be a bad winter because
the persimmon trees are loaded with
fruit, another one goes by the goose
bone, but there is nothing to these.
The winter will be an easy one."

You will find a full assortment of
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ed, Up-to-Date Stylish WINTER SUITS

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ADELINE WIBLE'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on estate of Adeline Wible late of the borough of Ardenstville, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement. DAVID THOMAS, Exr.

By his Atty., J. L. Williams, Esq.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

A STATE OF PETER H. STURINGER, late Berwick Township deceased. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against the estate will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing at Hanover.

W. A. NOBLE, Administrator.

FARM AT PRIVATE SALE

A Farm in Highland township, known as C. S. E. Weikert farm, containing 125 acres, improved with large brick dwelling house, large bank barn, and other improvements. All buildings in good repair. Farm is located 2 miles from Knott and 3 miles from McKnightstown Station. About 90 acres of farm land. \$500 worth of timber on the farm. It has been one of the best fruit farms in the western part of the county and could be made a first class fruit farm. Apply to

A. M. LOCURCA, Adm.

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LEGAL NOTICE

IN the Orphans' Court of Adams County: A petition of Solomon Ratterman and others, the surviving brothers and sisters of a late Lewis Ratterman, son of Henry Ratterman, deceased, for payment out of court to them of the sum of \$87.96 and interest thereon, the share of the said Lewis Ratterman in the estate of his deceased father, Lewis Ratterman, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., represented by the said Lewis Ratterman, son of Henry, has not been heard of for more than eight years, and then in Mexico, and is believed to be dead, in-state, unmarried and without issue, the said Court fixes MONDAY, the 17TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the hearing of all parties interested in said application.

THE COURT

Attest H. U. WALKER, Clerk O. C.

Dr. H. S. CROUSE of Littlestown has moved from Dr. Forem in building to his new residence on Frederick St.

LICENSE NOTICE

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County:

It is ordered that all applications for licenses for the sale of vinous, spirituous, or brewed liquors, wholesale or retail, for the year 1909, will be heard on FRIDAY, the 15th day of JANUARY, 1909, at 10:30 a. m., at which time all persons applying for or making objections to applications, will be heard by evidence, petition, remonstrance or counsel. There must be no communication at any time with the Judges personally upon the subject, by letter or any other private way.

The petition verified by affidavit of applicant, shall be in conformity with the requirements of the Acts of Assembly. Judgment thereon shall be executed in the usual manner, with no less than two reputable freeholders of the county where the liquors are to be sold, as sureties, each of them to be a bona-fide owner of real estate in the said county, worth over and all income, and the sum of \$2000, or other legal security to be given. Bond conditioned for the faithful observance of all the laws relating to the selling or furnishing of liquors, and to pay all damages, which shall be recovered against the licensee, and all costs, fines and penalties, which may be imposed on him under any indictment for violating said laws; and the sureties may be required to appear in Court and justify upon oath.

The Court shall in all cases refuse the application whenever, in the opinion of the Court, having due regard to the number and character of the petitioners for and against such applications, such license is not necessary for the accommodation of the public and entertainment of strangers and travelers, or that the applicant is not a fit person to whom such license should be granted.

Petitions to be filed with the Clerk of the Court not later than SATURDAY, the 19th day of DECEMBER, 1908. Objections and remonstrances to be filed not later than THURSDAY, the 5th day of JANUARY, 1909.

UPON a default cause being shown or proof being made to the Court that the party holding a license has violated any law of the Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the Court shall, upon notice being given to the person licensed, revoke the license.

FOR SALE.—Desirable business property in Gettysburg and good mercantile business with it. Any one interested should inquire at COMPILER Office. J8tf

LOST.—\$10.00 REWARD.—Bar pin with brilliant in center and clover leaf at each end with small brilliants in them. \$10.00 reward at Pitzer House.

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ISABELLA CARL ESTATE.—Letters of administration on estate of Isabella Carl late of the township of Hamilton, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against the estate will present them without delay for settlement.

CHAS. M. WOLFE, Esq.

Hanover, Adm.

Or by Atty., Wm. and Wm. McClellan.

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10.10 a. m. for Fairfield, Pen-Mar, Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Elkins and all points westward.

3.45 p. m. for Baltimore, Hanover, and all intermediate points.

5.45 p. m. for B. & H. Div. Points to Highfield, also Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Shippensburg and Hancock.

Sunday trains arrive at Gettysburg at 10.50 a. m. and leave at 4.45 p. m. for York and intermediate points.

A. Robertson, F. M. Howell, V. P. & Gen. Mgr. G. P. A.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

THE Directors of the Mummaburg Mutual Fire Protection Society have ordered an assessment of 3 per cent, 2 1-2 per cent, on the amount of the premium notes to pay fire losses, and 1-2 per cent, for wind storm losses, payable on or before the 15th of December 1908. Particular attention is called to the 17th Section of the By-Laws, viz., Whenever an assessment has been made on the premium notes and not paid within thirty days after the same shall have been demanded, the policy shall be considered null and void and of no validity, but the Directors may retain the premium note and collect thereon such sum and should it become necessary to enforce the payment of the amount assessed by suit at law, the recovery of said cost to form part of the claim due by the delinquent member of the society.

J. F. HARTMAN, Secretary.

TAFT'S SELECTION

had nothing to do with the tumble in price of Corn Meal at HAMMERS' STORE. It would have been 20 cents per sack if Bryan would have been elected.

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OLD RUN DOWN ORCHARDS

CAN BE SAVED AND MADE TO PAY BIG MONEY.

How the Trick Has Been Done by

a Woman in the State of

New York.

In a conversation with one of the progressive fruit growers of Adams county, the old orchards were mentioned and he said that notwithstanding the great increase in the planting of orchards in the county, yet there was a constant loss, due to the old orchards disappearing. That years ago every farmer had an apple orchard of some size or a few trees. That the supply grew needing better attention and getting none and yearly bearing fruit. These farmers never learned the value of the care of fruit trees. When the San Jose scale and other diseases appeared they simply submitted to the inevitable. That there are other farmers who have planted new orchards and won't do the work to keep the trees in first class condition, depending upon the trees to take care of themselves as of old. That there were farmers who did not appreciate the work of the orchard needed to save it or they hesitated on account of the trouble or were unwilling to exert themselves and learn the new order of spraying. That they did the easiest thing, which meant the entire destruction of the old orchards and the neglected orchards. Yet with less work than given to the other crops the orchard can be made the best growing proposition on the farm.

A New York State woman has succeeded in making old orchards pay and recently gave her ideas:

"Within the last two months I've had as many as twenty letters from women asking for advice about investing in fruit trees," said a woman who owns and manages large orchards in the central part of New York state.

"Most of these women are thinking of investing in farms or small country places where there are already what they term old, run down orchards. They come to me to find out if they can ever make those old trees bear."

"According to my experience an apple tree in this climate has to be pretty far gone to be ready for the axe. I mean of course when it is a good variety. The trouble with the apple trees which we see on these old places is that they need care and attention."

"They have been allowed to stand year after year with their roots covered by sod. They are actually dying of thirst and starvation. If one will only study the difference in the color of the leaves of trees growing in a tilled orchard and in one allowed to go to grass in midsummer he will see the signs of starvation and thirst."

"The first thing to do with such an orchard is to plow it up. If it has been in sod for a number of years there will be many roots near the surface. Do not be afraid of hurting the trees by cutting these roots with the plow."

"This plowing should be done early in the spring, and should be repeated several times during the first season. If the roots are so thick that you can not plow, then chop up the sod with a disc harrow. If the land is too rough

even for that, turn in hogs. Drop a few grains of corn here and there in crowbar holes and leave the rest for the hogs."

"Trees in such neglected orchards always need pruning. This should be done when the trees are dormant. February is usually the best month."

"If the tree has not been pruned for several years do not take out all the useless wood at one time. That would be too severe. Let some of it go over."

"Now, pruning is something that should never be carelessly done. Have all your tools sharp, cut the limbs close and paint all wounds above two inches wide so as to keep out all germs of decay. The prunings should all be burned and the ashes scattered about the roots of the trees."

"After this severe pruning you will get a big crop of water sprouts in the summer. Rub them off promptly. After this first pruning it will be necessary to prune a little every season. I never feel that I can let a year go by without giving each and every one of my apple trees a slight general pruning."

"As a rule there is enough plant food in the soil if it is only put in shape so that the trees can use it. If, however, this should not be the case then a fertilizer containing nitrogen is the best tonic. A liberal dressing of barnyard manure is the very best way of supplying this nitrogen. Nitrate of soda is also good. If there is still more tonic needed, then later in the year give the soil a good diet of ground bone and South Carolina rock."

"Trees that have been allowed to remain with their roots under sod for years are as a rule full of bugs. These of course must be killed and at once. With knife and wire hunt out the borer and kill the last one of them. Trees should be wormed twice a year, in fall and in spring."

"I have found it impossible to raise good fruit without a spray pump. If you have never sprayed begin by writing to your State experimental station for its spraying bulletins. Don't spray feebly, but do the job thoroughly."

"If there are only a few trees the whole outfit need not cost \$20. One of the old apple trees that now seem so hopelessly infested can be protected for 10 cents a year. The fruit will certainly be worth many times that amount."

"Sometimes even after all this has been done some orchards will not bear. As a rule this is because proper attention has not been given to planting the fertile varieties with the sterile varieties."

"Trees may be healthy and blossom year after year and no fruit be formed. This condition can be remedied in two ways. One way is to graft about every third tree in every third row with a pollen bearing variety. The other and sometimes the more convenient is to replant certain rows with pollen bearers. When setting out new orchards I always plant every fourth row with pollen bearers."

"Fortunately it is only in isolated orchards of a single variety that such conditions prevail. In fruit growing districts where several varieties are raised and bees are kept a total failure is next to impossible. It is not always necessary to keep bees, but it will pay a fruit grower, especially in a new country, to be on the safe side."

"I keep bees, though I am very much afraid of them, entirely for the im-

provement of my fruit. The difference bees can make in the quality and quantity of fruit is readily seen by noticing the difference when they were kept from flying by a long spell in rainy weather. The fruit grower who keeps bees should be careful never to spray when the trees are in bloom, as it may kill the bees."

"Every fruit grower is always hearing the complaint from amateurs: 'My fruit is dropping. What is the matter?' In nine cases out of ten if you will cut open a piece of the pollen fruit you will see that seeds have not started to grow. There is just one explanation. The fruit has never been fertilized."

"Sometimes there is not enough pollen to go around and as a result all the flowers are not fertilized. The remedy is either to plant more pollen bearing varieties or to get bees."

"In my opinion there are few crops more certain and more remunerative in this part of the country than apples. A good apple orchard should more than pay for itself in a few years. The rules governing the pruning and spraying are few and simple. Any woman of average intelligence can put them into practice without any training."

Lavere Hater's Auto in Collision.

A collision of automobiles occurred Monday afternoon of last week near Thomasville, York county, in which one machine was badly damaged and the occupants thereof narrowly escaped serious injury.

The damaged machine was a Packard touring car containing Joseph T. Baker, president of the Citizens' National Bank of Frederick, Md., and a party of friends comprising George W. Smith, a director in the same bank, J. Clark Kieffer, editor of the Frederick News, E. Y. Goldsborough and Joseph Bowers, chauffeur, all of Frederick.

The other machine was a red Pullman car containing Lavere Hafer, of Gettysburg and two young ladies.

The first named party left Frederick to go to York, stopped at Hanover at noon for dinner. After inspecting the building of the Hanover Saving Fund Society, the tourists resumed their journey. They were making the ascent of an elevation of the road just south of Thomasville when the Hafer car came up behind, having rounded a curve in the road at that point. At the point where the elevation occurs there are summer roads on either side of the turnpike. Hafer attempted to pass the Frederick party on the main road.

The occupants of the two cars differ just how the accident occurred. Mr. Hafer says the touring car was turned as though to cut off his passage and there was no other place to go but into the car ahead, while those in that car thought in order to escape going over the embankment on its side the car in rear was so turned that the collision occurred. The result was that the Hafer car crashed into the one in front which was pushed over the opposite embankment and turned upon its side in the summer road. Contact with a fence post was all that prevented the big touring car from turning turtle.

The tourists were thrown, one upon the other, into the road, but all escaped injury. Bowers, the chauffeur, was first upon his feet and he averted an explosion by running to the car and turning off the flow of gasoline.

Hafer drove his car a short distance ahead and then returned to assist the spilled tourists.

The chauffeur was left in charge of the overturned car and the members of the Frederick party came by train to York.

William T. Baker, who is 80 years old, and who was taking his first trip in an automobile, suffered so greatly from shock that he returned same day to his home in Frederick.

MASS SUFFERERS from nasal catarrh say they get splendid results by using an atomizer. For their benefit we prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Except that it is liquid it is in all respects like the healing, helpful, pain-relieving Cream Balm that the public has been familiar with for years. No cocaine nor other dangerous drug in it. The soothing spray is a remedy that relieves at once. All druggists, 75c., including spraying tube, or mailed by E

PERSONALLY CONDUCTED

ALONG THE LINES OF INDIVIDUAL HAPPENINGS

Weddings and Goings, Social Events and Other Items of Interest.


— David McConaughy, Jr., well known here, was a guest last week of his sister, Miss Mary McConaughy.
— E. C. Thomas has just returned from a delightful visit in New York City, where he has four nephews, who were able to show him the great city.
— Allen B. Plank was elected an officer in the Penn. Association of Gas Manufacturers.
— Miss Elsie Stugmaster, is a guest of Mrs. Edward Groff, of Kelly St., Harrisburg.
— Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer H. Shellman of Mt. Holly Springs spent several

at days with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shellman, in this place.
— Miss Jennie Kimple of Buchanan Valley visited relatives here last week.
— The "Ladies Day" given by the Elks in their handsome Lodge, on Thursday afternoon was a grand success. A delightful feature was music furnished by an orchestra of very young ladies, led by Miss Marion Sheely.
— Arthur Wagner of Harrisburg has been visiting relatives here.
— Mrs. M. S. Yohe and Mrs. Milton R. Rummel spent last Thursday in York.
— Mrs. Mary Pfeiffer left last week to visit friends in Harrisburg.
— The O. I. A. annual banquet given in their large hall, last Friday evening, was a grand success. The social feature was very pleasant, and the refreshments served were the best, and very plentiful. Over 300 guests were present.
— Preaching services at the Presbyterian church of Great Conowago at


7 p. m. by the pastor. Sabbath school meets at 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor meets at 6:15 p. m. (Christmas rehearsal at close of Sabbath school—Come and assist.)
NOTICE
Notice of the extension of the corporate limits of the Borough of Biglerville. Notice is hereby given that the authorities of the Borough of Biglerville, Adams county, Pa., have filed in the office of the Clerk of the Courts of Quarter Sessions of Adams county, a plan or plot of the extension of the limits of the Borough of Biglerville, in pursuance of an ordinance of the Borough and Town Council of said Borough, duly approved the 9th day of June, 1908, said extension comprising a territory of ninety-five acres and fifteen perches, and embracing lands of Amos Shillik, R. T. Roth, Emory Lauer, G. W. Koser, Edward Brough, Zephaniah Tipton, N. E. Roth, Lizzie Butler, heirs of J. A. H. Hether, and others. This notice is given in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Assembly approved April 6, 1899.
J. L. WALTER,
Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions.
ELECTION
AN Election for Managers by the Policy Holders of the Gettysburg Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at the office of W. C. Sheely, Esq., Masonic Bldg., Gettysburg, on MONDAY, JANUARY 13th 1909, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock p. m.
WM. E. KAPP,
Secretary.

PUBLIC SALE
ON FRIDAY, JAN. 1, 1909, the undersigned, according to quit learning will sell at public sale at his residence in Strasburg (Pa.) on the road leading from Hagerstown to Gettysburg, 1 mile from the former and 1 mile from the latter the following property: 5 head of HORSES consisting of 1 gray mare, 2 dark bay geldings and leader, 1 gray mare with tail a good leader, 1 bay mare, a good leader and worker, 1 black horse a good worker and driver, 1 roan colt 8 months old, 27 head of dehorned CATTLE, consisting of 11 milk cows, 8 will be fresh by time of sale, 6 are close springers, 1 heifer, 1 heifer that are springing, 4 heifers and 1 bull, 1 roan, 1 a red, 1 a Holstein, 10 head of Sheep, 9 ewes and 1 buck, 70 head of hogs, 10 brood sows, Chester White and Poland China, the most of them have pigs by their side, 2 Chester White boars, the balance sows ranging from 70 to 150 pounds, a piece, Farming implements, consisting of 1 1/2 or 4 horse wagon and bed, 1 Dayton wagon, buggy, Osborne Binder, 7 ft. cut, good as new, only used three seasons, 2 mowers, 1 m. Advance and the other a Deering, horse rake, double corn worker, single corn worker, corn plow, 2 long plows, 1 a Vibron the other an Oliver Chilled No. 10, 2 spring tooth harrows, land roller, set of manure boards, single, double and triple trees, jockey sticks, breast, butt and cow chains, forks and rakes, 5 sets of gears, check and plow lines, collars, and bridles, flynets and halters, 3 milk cans, corn by the bushel, hay by the ton, and other articles to be mentioned. A credit of 11 months will be given and five per cent off for cash. Terms will be made known by
ADDITION LIEB,
Thompson and Tate Auctioneers.

Miss Annie Diehl, has returned from five weeks visit with her sister Mrs. Diffenderfer in Carlisle.



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Christmas Sale -- 1908

Boys' Clothing \$7 and \$8 Suits and Overcoats. High grade fabrics and good styles. Russian, Sailor, Knickerbocker and double-breasted suits. Full length overcoats in gray, brown mixture, blue and olive mixture, 3 to 16 years. Regular \$7.00 and \$8 values. Special at \$1.98. Corduroy Pants Men's Pants, regular \$2.00 kind. Sale \$1.29. Fine Linen cord, peg tops, lined and unlined, light and dark shades. Regular \$3.00. Sale \$1.98. very best quality linen cord, worth 3.50 to \$4.00. Sale \$2.49. Suspenders Big line of fine suspenders from 7c to 50c.		Now for the Holidays With the passing of Thanksgiving our thoughts turn toward that great gift giving day--Christmas--which is near at hand. We've been preparing for the Holiday trade for weeks--brought the best here for you to select from--useful articles at prices that are sure to tempt you. No trouble finding just what you want at just the price. Never have selections been more beautiful. We urge early buying--the stocks are at their best now, and many of the finest fancies cannot be duplicated. For a Man's or a Boy's Present buy what he is going to buy for himself. Buy it where he buys--at a man's store. Come and see our Christmas Haberdashery.		Hats, Caps, Neckwear We have a big line of hats, caps and neckwear, latest styles, at moderate prices. Hosiery and Underwear We have over a hundred special bargains in our Men's Furnishings section that we have not time to mention in this advertisement. Natural gray or jaeger color, well made, heavy fleece lined, regular 50c kind. Sale 35. Half Hose 3 pairs for 25c. Men's regular made half hose. Soft mace yarn, fast colors, spliced heels and toes, elastic tops and seamless feel, sizes 9 1/2 to 11. Regularly sold at 2 prs. for 25c. Special now 3 prs. for 25c.	
CLOTHING Men's Cravenette Raincoats \$12 to \$11 values at \$8.75. Genuine Cravenette Raincoats in neat dark grays. Top of body lined with fine serge lining. Cut full 52 in. long. \$15 Men's and Young Men's Overcoats at \$9.75.		Boys' Clothing Knickerbocker pants suits. The suits are all wool chevrons, in all latest shades, olive, brown, blue and green, seams double-sewed and taped, last winter models. 7 to 16 years. Regular \$6.00 to \$7.00. Special \$3.98. Regular \$3.50 Boys' Overcoats \$2.49. Sizes from 3 to 9, in blue and brown. Special at \$2.19.		Here's a Bargain. A manufacturer sells us one hundred Men's All Wool Black Cheviot Suits. Selling price \$5.00. Overcoats lined throughout with Venetian, sizes 34 to 42. These garments were made up to sell for \$7.50 to \$10. While they last, your choice for \$5.00.	
Shoes and Rubbers That means Extraordinary Bargains. \$2.50 and \$3.00 Women's Shoes at \$1.50. A special purchase from a leading maker. All new desirable lasts, lace, button and Blucher styles. In Gun Metal, Calf, Box Calf and Tan Russian Calf. Medium and heavier weight soles; high Cuban and regular heels. Sizes from 3 to 8. \$1.50 Boy's Shoes at 98 cts. Box, Satin Calf and Gun Metal Calf, Blucher and regular lace. Big and little boys' sizes, 9 to 5 1/2. Regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50. Special here at 98 cts.		SPECIALS IN SWEATERS The most popular Coat Styles with or without pockets for very little money. Men's \$2.50 coat sweaters for \$1.98. Can be worn by women too. They are the manly coat style, with or without pockets; colors are white and red, white and green, white and blue, gray and red, gray and blue, gray and white, gray and green, white and solid gray; sizes from 36 to 44 worth \$2.50. Special at \$1.98. \$1.50 heavy-weight coat sweaters for \$2.18. These are all-wool coat sweaters with pockets; red, gray, white, gray and blue, gray and red, and blue; sizes 36 to 48; worth \$4.50. Special at \$3.18. Children's all wool coat sweaters; two pockets; red, white, gray, and gray and red; sizes 24 to 34. Special at 98c.		\$20 Men's Overcoats \$12.95 Fine black kersey, cut 44 inches long, silk velvet collars, full satin linings, finely tailored. Made to sell at \$20. Special at \$12.95. Overcoats The new style overcoats in fancy chevrons, cut in the newest models, sizes 34 to 40. Good \$15 values. Special at \$9.75.	
Women's Rubbers 50c and 60c values. Special at 39c. Good, well-known makes, storm and long cut, to fit all shoes. Special 39c. First quality, guaranteed Rubbers, worth 75c and 80c. Special 50c.		\$1.50 Women's Shoes 98c. Clearance of a maker's overstock. New Lace and Blucher styles in Vici Kid and Dongola. Sizes from 3 to 8. Special bargains at 98c.		\$1.50 Girls' Shoes, 98 cts. Of Box Calf and Dongola, Blucher and regular Lace. Spring and half heels. Sizes 8 1/2 to 2. Special 98c.	
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ALL OVER THE COUNTY

NEWS FROM ARENDTSTVILLE AND BUCHANAN VALLEY.

Cut Off Ends of Three Fingers in Stave Cutter in Barrel Factory.

SOME PERSONALS.

BRON SPRINGS, Dec. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Warren and children spent Thanksgiving Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Stansbury near Emmitsburg, Md.

Thomas Eyer, who is working near New Oxford, was home with his family last week suffering with a severe cold.

Mrs. Frank McIntire and daughter from Gladhill Station visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Madison Shindler one day last week.

Mrs. Geo. Wertz from Hanover spent the last few weeks with her son, H. L. Wertz, and her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Strangler.

John Hossler from Cashtown, and Mrs. Wm. Heintzelman and daughter Elizabeth from Orrtanna, visited your correspondent and family recently.

WILL.

FELL ON POCKET KNIFE.

BUCHANAN VALLEY, Dec. 3.—Little Earl Cole met with a painful accident by falling down and having an open pocket knife in his hand, striking him on the cheek just below the left eye.

Mrs. Frank Baker spent a week with her parents near Waynesboro last week.

George Milbert has returned to York after a week's vacation with his grandparents.

Geo. McKenrick of Aspers spent a few days in the mountains hunting for deer.

The Cashtown Hunting Club and the Arendtsville Hunting Club broke camp on Saturday morning, Nov. 28. The game club remained in camp until the end of the season and had secured but one deer, one of the finest in possession of any of the camps.

There were only two deer shot by residents of the valley this year up to this time.

Chester Sipe and his friend Mr. Lantz of York, spent two weeks at J. J. Hoff's for the purpose of hunting deer and returned to York today. S.C.S.

CUT OFF ENDS OF FINGERS.

ARENDTSTVILLE, Dec. 3.—Last Friday when James Adams was operating a stave cutter in Pius Orner's sash and barrel factory, he lost the ends of three fingers on the right hand getting it caught near the knives.

Last Saturday Harry Adams of near this place shot a large buck deer that weighed 178 pounds.

James Dittenhafer near this place lost his horse by death last Friday.

Aaron I. Weidner and Thos. G. Heckenluber have each put down a cement pavement in front of their dwelling. Horace G. Comfort and John F. Bushy did the work.

Thos. A. Fisher of Butler township, who spent the last two months visiting relatives in several of the western states, returned home much pleased with his visit.

Luther Lady spent several days at West Chester where his brother Clyde is a student at the Normal School. He also spent some time in Philadelphia.

Elmer Smith, Herbert Stifel and Arthur E. Rice of Allegheny, and Miss Ursula Starnier and Miss Minerva Rice of Gettysburg, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Layton H. Rice on Pearl street in this town.

Rev. D. B. Lady of Duquesne, Pa., spent last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roberts near this place.

EVERYBODY'S friend — Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Cures toothache, earache, sore throat. Heals cuts, bruises, scalds. Stops any pain.

JACOB H. SIFE, has moved from Latimore township where he has lived 20 years, to Franklin township.

Mrs. McRaney's Experience.

Mrs. M. McRaney, Prentiss, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble, and was treated by two physicians but failed to get relief. No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I began taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women what Foley's Kidney Remedy did for me." People's Drug Store.

JACOB HORNBERGER of Littlestown, fell down steps, and severely injured his left leg and arm.

For that Dull Feeling After Eating.

I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time, and can testify that they have done me more good than any tablets I have ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating. — DAVID FRIZMAN, Kenner, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve the digestion. They also regulate the liver and bowels. They are far superior to pills but cost no more. Get a free sample at the People's Drug Store and see what a splendid medicine it is.

S. E. WALTMAN has sold his 34 acre farm in Union township, to Augustus Lippy for \$4,500.

BURNS, scratches, sores and burns that other things have failed to cure will heal quickly and completely when you use DeWitt's Carbolicized Witch Hazel Salve. It is especially good for piles. Sold by People's Drug Store.

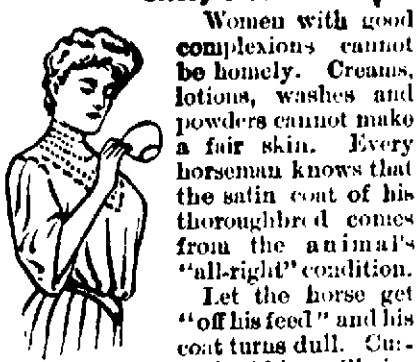
GILBERT BLUMER of Mummasburg has been laid up with blood poisoning from a sore finger.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

GROOMING COUNTS

But it cannot make a Fair Skin or a Glossy Coat.



Women with good complexion cannot be homely. Creams, lotions, washes and powders cannot make a fair skin. Every horseman knows that the satin coat of his thoroughbred comes from the animal's "all-right" condition.

Let the horse get "off his feet" and his coat turns dull. Grooming, brushing and rubbing will give him a clean coat, but cannot produce the coveted smoothness and gloss of the horse's skin, which is his complexion. The Ladies will see the point.

Lane's Family Medicine

Is the best preparation for ladies who desire a gentle laxative medicine that will give the body perfect cleanliness internally and the wholesome skin that produces such skins as painters love to copy.

MEYDEL BROS. are operating their sewing factory in East Berlin, promising work all winter.

Guilty of Counterfeiting.

Passing counterfeit money is no worse than substituting some unknown worthless remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs.

WM. H. GROFF and family have moved into their new dwelling in East Berlin.

KENNEDY'S Laxative Cough Syrup not only heals irritation and allays inflammation, thereby stopping the cough, but it moves the bowels gently and in that way drives the cold from the system. Contains no opiates. It is pleasant to take and children especially like the taste, so nearly like maple sugar. Sold by Peoples Drug Store.

JOHN W. MEALS of Huntington township lost 29 guineas in recent cold snaf.

It Is a Wonder.

Chamberlain's Liniment is one of the most remarkable preparations yet produced for the relief of rheumatic pains, and for lame back, sprains and bruises. The quick relief from pain which it affords in case of rheumatism is alone worth many times its cost. Price, 25 cents; large size 50 cents. For sale by People's Drug Store.

THIEVES carried away twelve large fat turkeys of Mrs. Chas. C. Smith of Mt. Pleasant township while she was attending church.

The season for coughs and colds is now at hand and too much care cannot be used to protect the children. A child is much more likely to contract diphtheria or scarlet fever when he has a cold. The quicker you cure his cold the less the risk. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the sole reliance of many mothers, and few of those who have tried it are willing to use any other. Mrs. F. F. Starcher, of Ripley, W. Va., says: "I have never used anything other than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for my children and it has always given good satisfaction." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a child as to an adult. For sale by People's Drug Store.

ROBT. O. WOLF has moved from near New Chester to New Oxford, and is working in shoe factory in latter place.

A Dangerous Operation.

is the removal of the appendix by a surgeon. No one who takes Dr. King's New Life Pills is ever subjected to this frightful ordeal. They work so quietly you do not feel them. They cure constipation, headache, biliousness and malaria. 25c. at People's Drug Store.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

JACOB SCHULTZ of York Springs has sold the hotel furniture of the Central hotel to John Knight, of near East Berlin.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturally and you do not have to take purgatives continuously. People's Drug Store.

J. W. FANUS of near New Oxford cut himself in the wrist with an ax, severing an artery. The ax caught on a limb causing the accident.

Kodol contains the same digestive juices that are found in an ordinary healthy stomach, and there is, therefore, no question but that any form of stomach trouble, indigestion or Nervous Dyspepsia, will yield readily yet naturally to a short treatment of Kodol. Try it today on our guarantee. Take it for a little while, as that is all you will need to take. Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by Peoples Drug Store.

REX and Blair of Aspers have a second horse die from poisoning, but are unable to locate the scoundrels.

This is Worth Reading.

LEO F. ZELINSKI, of 68 Gibson St., Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I cured the most annoying cold sore I ever had, with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I applied this salve once a day for two days, when the trace of the sore was gone." Heals all sores. Sold under guarantee at People's Drug Store.

MANY HIs come from impure blood. Can't have pure blood with faulty digestion, lazy liver and sluggish bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters strengthens stomach, bowels and liver, and purifies the blood.

MRS. JEROME BORDER of Abbotstown was taken to York hospital for treatment.

DEWITT'S Kidney and Bladder Pills are unequalled in cases of weak back, back ache, inflammation of the bladder, rheumatic pains, and all urinary disorders. They are antiseptic and act promptly. Don't delay for delays are dangerous. Get DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Sold by Peoples Drug Store.

BASEHOAR and Mehrling of Littlestown erected a windwheel and pump for Milton Study last week.

Marked For Death.

"Three years ago I was marked for death. A graveyard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Bac, Ky. "The first dose helped me, and improvement kept on until I had gained 58 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored." This medicine holds the world's healing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at People's Drug Store. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

WM. HAVESTOCK of Heidlersburg, stuck a porker and after fixing his scalding vessel found the animal wandering around and it took a second sticking before he could be butchered.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

MICE eat the bird with which the new winter hat of a New Oxford woman was decorated with.

HONEST coughs and stuffy colds that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. People's Drug Store.

GEORGE KINTER of Latimore township was dragged by the heels for a mile over fields by a mule and no bones were broken.

For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum

The intense itching characteristics of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by People's Drug Store.

WM. D. HIMES of New Oxford is equipping the Littlestown electric light plant which he bought with new apparatus and new poles. A continuous current as well as power current will be given Littlestown.

ITCHING, torturing skin eruptions, disfigure, annoy, drive one wild. Doan's Ointment brings quick relief and lasting cures. Fifty cents at any drug store.

LITTLESTOWN on Saturday nights has been crowded with people recently. The new trolley line is said to be causing the condition about which Littlestown merchants are not complaining.

You can cure dyspepsia, indigestion, sour or weak stomach, or in fact any form of stomach trouble if you will take Kodol occasionally—just at the times when you need it. Kodol does not have to be taken all the time. Ordinarily you only take Kodol now and then, because it completely digests all the food you eat, and after a few days or a week or so, the stomach can digest the food without the aid of Kodol. Then you don't need Kodol any longer. Try it today on our guarantee. We know what it will do for you. Sold by Peoples Drug Store.

CHAS. STRASBURG of Gettysburg was collateral appraiser of estate of P. H. Strubinger and F. K. Hafer and J. J. Schmidt general appraisers. Personal property of decedent has been moved from Abbotstown to Hanover.

Beware of Frequent Colds.

A succession of colds or a protracted cold is almost certain to end in chronic catarrh, from which few persons ever wholly recover. Give every cold the attention it deserves and you may avoid this disagreeable disease. How can you cure a cold? Why not try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended. Mrs. M. White, of Butler, Tenn., says: "Several years ago I was bothered with my throat and lungs. Someone told me of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I began using it and it relieved me at once. Now my throat and lungs are sound and well." For sale by People's Drug Store.

MR. and Mrs. J. C. Scott and daughter Margie were upset on recent Sunday morning near Mt. Joy church. The horse was frightened and ran over a bank. They escaped with slight bruises.

A Personal Appeal.

If we could talk to you personally about the great merit of Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and lung trouble, you never could be induced to experiment with unknown preparations that may contain some harmful drugs. Foley's Honey and Tar costs you no more and has a record of forty years of cures. People's Drug Store.

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If, after using a \$1.00 bottle of Kodol, you can honestly say it has not benefited you, we will refund your money. Try Kodol today on this guarantee. Fill out and sign the following, present it to the dealer at the time of purchase. If it fails to satisfy you return the bottle to the dealer from whom you bought it, and we will refund your money.

Town _____ State _____ Sign here _____ Cut This Out

Digests What You Eat And Makes the Stomach Sweet

K. C. DEWITT & CO., Chicago, Ill.

THIEVES stole out of the cellar all the pudding and meat of Mrs. John Riggeal of near Narys' Mill.

PLEASANT, sure, easy, safe little liver pills, are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Sold by Peoples Drug Store.

A. S. MILLS in mounting his wagon fell twice and had narrow escape from being run over. The horses ran away, and ran through five strands of a wire fence and only received scratches.

AFTER a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulents, and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulents bring easy, regular passages of the bowels.

THE livery of Clarence Martin at Charming burnt down with 20 carriages, harness, feed and hay, a total loss of \$2500.

MOST people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered to be the most effective remedy for kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up worn out tissues and restores lost vitality. It will make you feel well and look well. People's Drug Store.

MISS HELEN JULIUS has resigned as assistant at Littlestown Post Office and Miss Bess Fissel, daughter of Sheriff elect Elias Fissel is filling the position.

This is an Easy Test.

Sprinkle Allen's Foot-Ease in one shoe and not in the other, and notice the difference. Just the thing to use when rubbers or overshoes become necessary, and your shoes seem to pinch. Sold everywhere. 25c. Don't accept any substitute.

Early Sales.

Dec. 5—Saturday—Orville S. Riley, Straban.
Dec. 11—Friday—Myers and Brannan, Wood sale, Highland.
Dec. 18—Friday—Musselman and Rudisill, wood sale, Straban.
Dec. 19—Saturday—J. Frank Gulden, Straban.
Jan. 1—Friday—Luther H. Basehoar, Franklin.
Jan. 1—Friday—Addison Leer, Straban.

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In the matter of the petition of the County Commissioners of Adams County to the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County for authority to sell ground rent of \$1 on lot No. 24 to Wm. McW. C. O'Neil and ground rent of fifty cents on part of lot No. 27 to Chas. E. Stubble. A hearing has been fixed by the said Court for THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1908, at 10 A. M., when the petition of the said County Commissioners for an order to sell ground rents above mentioned will be heard.

W. A. TAUGHENRAU, Prothonotary.

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THE ORIGINAL LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP KENNEDY'S LAXATIVE HONEY AND TAR

A SOUTHERN WEDDING.

Of a Grand-Daughter of An Adams Countian.

The wedding of Miss Jane Jenkins Lancaster and Francis De Sales Roach of Washington, D. C. took place on Nov. 24 at Rock Point, Md. and is described as follows:

The wedding was typically Southern. The estate of the bride's father, State Senator S. Spearman Lancaster, is situated on Wicomico Bay, and the only way to reach it is by boat, no railroads being within 15 miles. The wedding guests, about 25 in number, left Washington the night before the ceremony reaching there at 11:30 o'clock and were transported to the Lancaster home in carriages. The wedding was performed in the little "Star of the Sea" church, by Rev. J. Myer, rector, and the young couple were attended by Miss Elizabeth Lancaster, sister of the bride and Frank Ridgeway, of Washington. People from miles around came to witness the ceremony and see the beautiful decorations in the church, as an event of this character is rare in that section of the country.

A reception was held at the Lancaster home after the service at the church, the house being tastefully decorated with holly, cedar and mistletoe, which grow in profusion in the woods. At 11 o'clock the bride and groom left for Lothair, fifteen miles distant, where they took the train for a wedding trip to Baltimore and Philadelphia. A unique and interesting part of the going away was an assemblage of the colored people, employed on the estate whose ancestors had been slaves of the family for years. They rushed out of the house and taking off their old shoes, threw them after the departing carriage, containing the bride and groom. The guests showered confetti on the young couple and they left amid cheers and the waving of handkerchiefs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roach will reside in Washington, where the groom is a lawyer and insurance agent.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mrs. Jane Jenkins, of Edgegrove.

Rustless Wheat.

The most important and the most fascinating of all Prof. Biffen's experiments in the laboratories of Cambridge University, England, concern production of varieties of wheat immune to prevalent pests.

In all countries the most serious enemy of the wheat farmer is rust. In the bad rust year of 1891 the loss due to this cause in Prussia alone was calculated at over \$100,000,000, while a well known authority estimates that the average loss from rust to the wheat crops of the world would not be covered by \$500,000,000.

No prophylactic against the disease has been discovered, says Harper's Magazine, and it is recognized that the only way to avoid it is to make use of varieties which are naturally immune. Unfortunately the few such varieties that exist are in other respects poor and unprofitable to grow.

Prof. Biffen began his experiments by crossing a variety peculiarly subject to the attacks of yellow rust with an immune variety. The hybrids produced were all severely attacked by rust.

In the following year such seed as could be collected from these plants was sown. The greater number of the resulting plants were much rusted, but some were entirely free from the disease, though growing up in the closest contact with their rusty brethren. It was found on counting that the immune plants formed almost exactly a quarter of the total number.

In other words, the experiment proved susceptibility and immunity to be a pair of Mendelian characters, and consequently within the control of the breeder to combine with other characters according as he pleased. The fact that resistance to yellow rust is a unit character exhibiting Mendelian inheritance makes it a simple matter to transfer it to wheats which are in every way desirable except for their susceptibility to rust.

From the knowledge gained through experiments Prof. Biffen has been able to build up wheats combining the large yield and excellent straw of the best English varieties with the strength of the foreign grain and at the same time quite immune to yellow rust. During the present year several acres of such wheat coming true to type were grown on the Cambridge University Experimental Farm, and when the quantity is sufficient to be put upon the market there is no reason to doubt its exerting a considerable influence on the agricultural outlook.

L. M. Buchler's New Departure.

After two months of remarkable sales, L. M. Buchler, the enterprising druggist, says that his plan of selling at half price the regular 50 cent size of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, and guaranteeing to refund the money if it does not cure, has been the greatest success he has ever known.

He has sold hundreds of bottles of the specific; and as yet has not had one returned, although he stands ready any time to refund the money should any customer be dissatisfied. This is the strongest testimony that can be furnished to the great merit of this medicine.

Anyone suffering with dyspepsia, constipation, liver troubles, headaches, dizziness, coated tongue, or the general tired feeling caused by inactive liver and bowels or disordered digestion, should take advantage of L. M. Buchler's new departure and buy a bottle of Dr. Howard's specific at half price, with L. M. Buchler's personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

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It will certainly pay the housewives of Gettysburg to look over our store. It has been expensively furnished with cases so that every article of grocery is protected.

Customers say our store is so neat and goods so cleanly kept that it is a pleasure to buy here.

Why not let us sell you the Xmas groceries. Come and see us before you order. Our attractive Store room, care and neatness with which all goods are kept and handled will add satisfaction and pleasure to the Xmas grocery order given us. We deliver orders. You can Phone your wants.

E. P. WISOTZKEY, Gettysburg.

Let Us Play Santa Claus For You

See Whether We Can't

Help to Fill the Christmas Stocking

Away Down in the Toe Put a Piece of

Jewelry
Brazellets
Neck Chain
Watch Chain
Watch Charm
Breast Pin
Stick Pin
Cuff Buttons
Hat Pin
or Ring

Or Fill the Toe with a Little Bluff and Above That Put

Silverware
Toilet Set
Manicure Set
Manicure Piece
Comb and
Brush Set

Fountain Pen
Pearl Handle Pen

Stretch it to hold a

Gold Clock
Parlor Clock
Dining Room Clock

Or Tuck in a Watch, Gold Silver or Nickel

or

Silver Knives
Silver Forks
Silver Spoons
Odd Spoons
Butter Dish
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Sparkling Cut Glass or One of the Many Novelties

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Dread Foot and Mouth Disease.

The dread foot and mouth disease has not appeared in Adams county and is not likely to do so inasmuch as vigorous efforts are being put forth to stamp out the disease. The nearest approach to this county has been at Linehorn, Md., on the farm of M. M. Kneller. It was decided to kill the animals but the fear of spreading the germs to their own farms deterred the men of that neighborhood from undertaking the work of digging a trench in which to bury the animals.

For this reason, contractor Frank Brenner, of Hanover, dug the trench. Mr. Brenner, with ten men, made the excavation, which is 42 feet long, 6 feet wide and 7 feet deep. Immediately on completion of the digging the killing began, under the supervision of Dr. F. H. Hackie, Maryland State Veterinarian. The animals killed

were 24 cattle and 52 hogs. The 52 hogs had not contracted the disease, but they had been exposed to it and were killed also.

The animals were led to the hole and shot with large caliber bullets. The cows and steers were killed first. Their paunches were opened to hasten decomposition and also lessen the space occupied by each carcass. The carcasses of the hogs which were not affected, were thrown on top of the cattle. Quicklime was spread over them and the hole filled, the earth being piled in a mound.

The seriousness of the disease and ease with which it is spread should cause every farmer to keep a watch on his stock and report the first appearance of any disease to the authorities. The disease does not attack horses or chickens, only animals with a foot like the cow. The horses and chickens of Mr. Kneller were treated to a germ killing bath after the cattle and hogs were killed.

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A FEW SUGGESTIONS

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Fine China for gifts. Any lady will appreciate a nice piece of China. We have Nut Bowls, Olive Dishes, Chocolate or Coffee Sets, Cake, Ice Cream or Berry Sets. Hundreds of beautiful pieces in French, German and Japanese China.

LAMPS...

We have a fine lot of Lamps. We have a specially beautiful Library or Parlor Lamp in antique brass, fitted with Rayo Burner. Two styles. The best lamp made.

Canary Birds...

Don't forget our Canary Birds. Guaranteed singers. Price same as last season.

Toilet Sets...

Beautiful Toilet Sets, in fine cases, suitable gifts for ladies or gentlemen. We have them in silver mounted, silver inlaid and genuine ebony. Also a full line of fine Military Brushes, Hat and Clothes Brushes, Shaving Sets, Smoking Sets, Manicure Sets and Hand Mirrors.

Carving Sets...

In planning what to buy don't forget our Carving Sets. We have them from \$1 to \$8 per set, any one of which would make a useful gift.

Chafing Dishes...

One of our finely finished nickel Chafing Dishes or Serving Dishes would be highly appreciated as a gift. We have them from \$2.50 up. Also some beautiful Crumb Trays and Scrapers, and other useful articles in the nickel ware.

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We have Dolls and Toys of every description for the children. The biggest lot of Mechanical Engine, Trains, etc., we ever had. Express Wagons and Sleds.

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You will find our line of Candies, Oranges, Nuts, etc., the best we have ever had for the holiday season. Every school teacher or Sunday School committee should look over our line before placing their orders. We can save you money.

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STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Wants Millions for Next Ten Years for Road Building.

State Highway Commissioner Hunter, in his annual report, which was issued last week, recommends that the legislature set aside \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000 a year for ten years in order to allow the highway department to carry out a systematic campaign of road building on a scale commensurate with the needs of the situation.

The report which is for the year 1907, shows that up to the close of that year 325 miles of state roads had been completed, at a total cost of \$3,333,726.86, and that 221 miles were then under contract. Since then 200 additional miles of road have been completed making a total of more than 700 miles.

In his report Commissioner Hunter says:

"There should be a thorough organization in each county of the supervisors and eventually a state organization, modeled in part after the county and state organizations of school directors. Such organizations will be of material advantage and assistance to the highway department, inasmuch as they will be educational and enable the department to keep in better touch with the supervisors who direct the affairs of their respective townships.

The supervisors' law of April 12, 1905, should be amended to abolish the work tax and an appropriation made to pay the 15 per cent. to the townships that are entitled to receive it by reason of having abolished the work tax."

The report, as usual, is a model of brevity, the book containing less than fifty pages, not including a large map, which folds into the back of the book, showing the state highways in each county.

"Work was carried on in 55 counties of the state. Two hundred and nineteen and seven-tenths miles of township roads were reconstructed. Two hundred and twenty-one miles are under contract of which 130 miles have been completed but not accepted from the contractors. Bids have been received on \$5.5 miles additional to the mileage under contract. Three hundred and twenty-five and two-tenths miles have been fully completed and accepted from the contractor

since the work of reconstruction was begun.

The average cost of all work completed, based on a stone road 16 feet wide, including bridges, culverts and drain pipes is \$10,295 per mile. The cost of all extras is 11.1 per cent. of the total cost of the roads. The cost of engineering is 2.1 per cent. of the cost. The cost of inspection is 3 per cent. of the cost. Sixteen hundred and ninety-seven applications on file call for the reconstruction of 3,339 miles of road.

The demand for road improvement is so great that it is impossible to meet the demands with the present appropriations. In view of this fact, I would suggest that a fund be provided that will permit of the expenditure of \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000 per year, for a period of 10 or 12 years so that the department can make surveys, plan work ahead and inaugurate a system of main highway improve-

THE MARKETS.

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouses corrected weekly by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons:—

	Per Bu.
Good Wheat	98
Corn	60
Rye	70
Oats	50

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Wheat Bran	\$1.30
Corn and Oats Chop	1.50
Middlings	1.60
Timothy hay	70
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Wheat	95
Corn	60
Western oats	60
Baled shavings	35c per bale

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Butter firm, good demand, 26c. in the print; eggs, market firm, 31c.; live fowl, 07c.; spring chicken, 07c.; market firm.

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| Clocks, | Cut Glass | Candelabras | Crumb Trays |
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| Tea Sets | Candelabrum | Fern Dishes | Glove Boxes |
| Coffee Sets | Society Emblems | Shaving Sets | Smoking Sets |
| Pens | Eye Glasses | Clock Ornaments | Bon-bon Boxes |
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L. M. Buehler

Gettysburg, Pa.

Xmas Buying

It was a cold day before Christmas.

The father had arrived in town without the overcoat he had outgrown and asked where he could get an overcoat and was told to go to **Lestz.**

The big boy followed. He shivered in last summer's suit and wondered where he could get a warm winter suit and was told to go to **Lestz.**

The mother was not far behind, the youngest boy had worn out last month's shoes and his trousers were going fast and what was she to do, and she was told to go to **Lestz.**

The boy declared he would not mind the weather if he only had gloves and a cap with ear bobs and he was told to go to **Lestz.**

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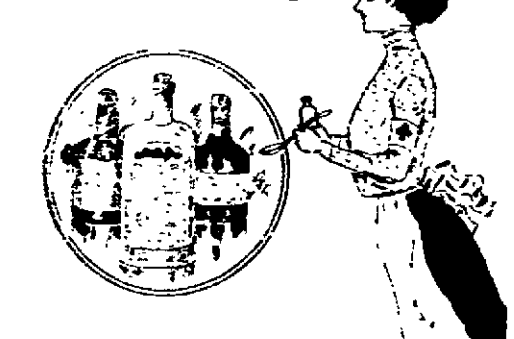
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A GIRL and A RING.

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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"I will ride Black Dan, Jenkins," said Peggy calmly.

"Yes, miss," replied Jenkins, disappearing in the direction of the stables. Holcomb frowned and prepared to follow in the wake of the groom.

"Of course you know you can't ride Black Dan, Peggy," he said impatiently. "He has thrown you twice, and I have said no woman shall mount him again. Any other horse in the stables!"

"Thank you," said Peggy coldly. "I don't care to ride any other horse. You are such an old granny, Bob!"

"Shall I order Pretty Girl?" asked Holcomb patiently.

"No, I have ordered Black Dan," she replied defiantly.

"I must countermand the order, Peggy. No woman shall ride him with my permission," said Bob stiffly.

Peggy's eyes flashed ominously, and her pretty lips stiffened into a straight line. "If you countermand my order, Bob Holcomb," she flashed angrily, "you may!" She choked back a little sob.

"What?"

"You may keep the ring you were going to give me," finished Peggy remorselessly.

"Do you mean it?" he asked, coming closer to her and looking down into her wide gray eyes.

"Yes," said Peggy hardily.

Holcomb turned away with a little droop of his broad shoulders. "Nevertheless, Peggy, I must countermand the order," he said gravely. Then he went down the steps and disappeared through the stable gateway.

Peggy Linwood stared after him with hot cheeks and flashing eyes. Her little brown hands tightened their grasp on the arms of the low chair.

"I'm very glad I broke it off," she thought mechanically. "Fancy being married to a man with such a nasty temper as Bob Holcomb! What a fool I was to fall in love with him!"

She sped upstairs to the chintz sitting room, where her mother sat before a cozy fire. "Mother, dear, let us go home at once," she began abruptly.

"I can't stay in Bob Holcomb's house another minute!" She sank breathlessly on the couch.

Mrs. Linwood adjusted her glasses and looked quizzically at her daughter. "We mustn't spoil Bob's house party, dear," she said mildly. "I told him we would stay until Monday, and we must do so. Have you quarreled with him, Peggy?"

"Yes," said Peggy shortly.

"What about? Was it worth while?"

"I'd rather not tell, mother," admitted Peggy guiltily.

"Oh, well!" Mrs. Linwood smiled furtively into her book. "If I were going to quarrel, Peggy, dear, I wouldn't wear that brown dress. You know it is so unbecoming, and when a woman disagrees with a man she should wear her prettiest frock. Now, the blue linen!"

But Peggy had flown out of the room and was anxiously surveying herself in the cheval glass in her own pretty apartment. "Mother's right," she sighed miserably. "I look a fright in this frock. It's too late to 'pretty up' very much, but—where is the blue linen?"

Late that afternoon Peggy encountered Bess Dane sauntering across the lawn under the shade of century old elms.

"Congratulations, Peggy, dear," announced Bess, archly extending a slim hand.

Peggy gasped.

"Not Frederick? Bess, dear!"

"Not Frederick!" interrupted Miss Dane coolly. "Guess again, Peg, and in the meantime admire my ring. Isn't it the sweetest ever?"

Such an odd ring it was too. Innumerable small diamonds formed the petals of a daisy, with a blazing topaz for the yellow center. Peggy looked at it with wildly beating heart.

"It's more suitable for you, Peg, because it's a daisy. Nevertheless it suits your humble servant right down to the ground, as the poet has it," Miss Dane laughed complacently as she seated herself on the grass.

"Come, sit down, Peg, and discuss the details," she urged. "You will be maid of honor, of course."

"Of course, Bess," murmured Peggy miserably. "When?"

"Don't say 'when' again!" admonished Bess mildly. "I'll tell you when I know. Bob hasn't even asked me to name the day. There were other and more important things to go over," she blushed warmly. "But you and I can talk about the frocks and the wedding and—about Bob himself."

"I didn't even suspect!" said Peggy humbly as she rifled a blade of grass.

"No one suspects. It will not be announced until I go home. Don't you think him the best fellow in the world, Peg, dear?"

"Of course," cried Peggy lightly.

"And now, Bess, you must let me go for I am going for a gallop!"

"Not on Black Dan!" cautioned Miss Dane playfully.

"No, indeed," said Bess warmly. "He has thrown you twice, you know. I shall ride Pretty Girl!"

"Wise child," murmured Bess, surveying her ring dreamily.

As Peggy rode slowly out of the lodge gate and turned down the line that was her favorite little path her last picture was of Bess Dane ex-

amining her engagement ring with loving admiration.

Peggy's warm, impulsive heart swelled with grief and indignation. Light indeed was Bob Holcomb's love when he could shift so quickly from one sweetheart to another! How convenient for such as he to carry an engagement ring in his pocket!

Peggy had never seen the ring until it flashed from Miss Dane's finger, but Bob had told her it was the prettiest ring in the world and that there was no other like it. It had come that morning in the registered mail, and he had whispered that he wanted her to try it on after breakfast.

And then had come the Black Dan episode, and she had not seen Bob since. He had absented himself from the luncheon table under plea of business. No wonder he had been ashamed to face her!

Pretty Girl ambled down the lane, where the thick hedge on either side made a long green arbor through which the late afternoon sunlight filtered on Peggy's shining hair. A thrush, poised on the topmost bough of a young chestnut, poured out a rapturous song. The liquid notes fell on the girl's ear with heartbreaking sweetness, and she leaned her sunny head down on Pretty Girl's neck and sobbed.

The mare stopped and turned her head with mild surprise. Some one was coming down the lane on a tall gray horse—some one with discontented eyes that lighted wonderfully when they saw Peggy's drooping head.

"Peggy, dear! What is the matter?" Bob Holcomb was bending over his late fiancée, and one strong hand drew her head to his shoulder.

Peggy withdrew herself with a frightened cry. "How dare you, sir?" she said indignantly. She was oblivious to the traces of tears on her pink cheeks.

"Oh, come now, Peggy," entreated Holcomb, "I know you didn't mean what you said and—"

"Bessie Dane has told me of her engagement to you, Bob," said Peggy jolly.

"Engagement! To Bessie? Fudge!" said Holcomb weakly. "Why of course—she is engaged to Bob Miller. He's staying over at Beechcroft and rode over here this morning, and I guess they fixed it up then. Seen her ring?"

Peggy nodded. There was a singing in her heart, and she wondered if Bob could hear it.

"Trashy looking ring," commented Holcomb, fumbling in his pocket; then he drew forth a leather case and extracted a ring, the conventional engagement ring—a large solitaire. As he slipped it on Peggy's willing finger he said tenderly:

"Now, most people would say it was just like a hundred other engagement rings, but it isn't. There isn't another ring like it in the world, Peggy, because it means that we are betrothed with it. It means that our love will always overcome any foolish misunderstandings, eh, Peggy, darling?" he murmured as he slipped his arm around her waist.

And Peggy smiled assent, with a light of new understanding in her eyes.

Down Growing Roots.

The unalterable downward trend of the first root is all the more remarkable when we consider that the subsequent ramifications grow out in any direction which seems to be desirable.

Many years ago Colonel Greenwood started some experiments by fixing horse chestnut seeds in inverted pots. The first root to appear developed downward into the light, but naturally soon shriveled up and died. Not so the secondary roots, which had spread into the soil of the pot. The upper parts of the plants, which had presumably first grown to one side and then shot upward, continued to flourish exceedingly. It is related that for no less than twenty years Colonel Greenwood kept one of these chestnuts alive, all the time in an upside down condition as far as the roots were concerned.

When the plant became too large for its original receptacle its roots were transplanted in a chimney pot, several of these latter being called into requisition as the experiment continued. Finally the root was turned over a wall and conducted to a mound of earth on the other side, at last being allowed to take a natural course. This the long suffering tree readily did and remained for some time a great curiosity with its long horizontal root—Selachite American.

The Magician and the King.

A magician of considerable skill in New England. It was said that he should give an exhibition of mind reading before the king of the Mooris. After some parleying it was decided that the king himself should attend the exhibition which the magician was to deliver.

The mind reader left the room and after a time was brought back blindfolded, as is the custom in such performances. After some time the magician declared that the hidden name was in the king's name. His Majesty then lifted his head and said to the magician: "The name is—"

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Clouds and the Weather.

When two weather prophets disagree does it argue error or incompetence in either? No, says the author of "Storms and Storm Signals" in Yachting. The data upon which they base their predictions do not always bear one interpretation. Thus:

Because the clouds indicate weather in a different manner according to the geographical location of the observer, and also because they are in themselves but byproducts of the weather and are not causes, weather predictions from clouds at sea should be taken with plenty of reservation of judgment. To say, for instance, that a "red sky at night sailors' delight" is very true and possibly truthful where knowledge is conspicuous by its absence, but a red sky at night may mean almost anything from a surplus of moisture in the air, meaning probably rain, to a volcanic eruption 2,000 miles away which has sent great clouds of dust into the air, causing the red color by reflection and refraction of the light rays.

The Eyes.

"Long, almond shaped eyes, with thick and creamy lids covering half the pupil and with a forehead that is full above the brows—there you have the eye of the man of genius." The speaker's own eyes answered that description strikingly, but he was far from being a man of genius, being, in fact, a magazine editor.

"Protruding eyes," he went on, "show mental and bodily weakness. Eyes close together denote cunning. Those far apart denote liberality. Thin lashes without any upward curve to them and thin brows poorly marked are signs of melancholy and indecision. The eyes of a voluptuary move slowly under heavy lids. Those of a miser are small, deep sunken and blue, set in a body and perpendicular forehead. The most beautiful eyes—large, brilliant and clear, gleaming and flashing with a rapid motion—the most beautiful eyes denote elegance of taste, gaiety, some selfishness and a great interest in the opposite sex."—New York Press.

Like Father Like Son.

Four-year-old Clyde was a precocious youngster—very talkative and a close observer. He and his father were strolling through the meadows one morning when Clyde observed for the first time some tadpoles in a pond. He waded in and cried out, "Oh, father, what are they?"

"Tadpoles, son," the father replied.

"Please, father, let's take them all home with us, then come back and find the mamma and papa, and we'll have the whole family in our pond at home."

The father explained how impossible this would be, and as they walked on a few steps a large, ugly frog hopped across their path. Clyde's father said: "Look, son. Perhaps there is the papa."

Clyde was very thoughtful. He looked at the frog, then at his father, then at himself and exclaimed:

"Well, father, was there ever so much difference between me and you?"

—Belmont.

Curious School Customs.

Mexican schoolmasters show their appreciation of a pupil's efforts in a curious manner. The diligent student is allowed to smoke a cigar during the lesson. When the whole class has given satisfaction, permission is given for a general smoke, and even the little Mexicans are allowed to light a cigarette for the occasion. Needless to say, the schoolmaster himself smokes a cigar of a size and quality proportionate to his superior position. But the scholars are not allowed to drink, this privilege being accorded to the master only. On his desk he always keeps a bottle of liquor, which, when empty, occasions much dispute among the parents of his scholars, as it is considered an honor to be able to fill the schoolmaster's bottle.—London Standard.

Cutting It Short.

A British lieutenant in the Second Battalion, Lincolnshire regiment, who was called Leo Quintus Tollenmache-Tollenmache de Orellana Plantagenet Tollenmache-Tollenmache, gave notice by means of advertisement that he renounced the names of Quintus Tollenmache-Tollenmache Plantagenet Tollenmache and should henceforth upon all occasions and at all times sign and use only the name of Leo Quintus Tollenmache only.

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